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Employment Law Assistance at Your Fingertips

The **elaws** (Employment Laws Assistance for Workers and Small Businesses) Advisors are a set of interactive, online tools developed by the U.S. Department of Labor (DOL) to help employers and employees learn more about their rights and responsibilities under numerous Federal employment laws. They address some of the nation's most widely applicable employment laws, offering easy-to-understand information on topics such as:

- Pay and overtime
- Family and medical leave
- Health benefits
- Disability discrimination
- Workplace safety and health
- Union elections
- Veterans' employment
- Youth employment
- Federal contractor requirements

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